

# CAL POLY

## REPORT

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### Three staff members named 'outstanding'

Three staff members have been selected to receive the university's 1993-94 Outstanding Staff Award.

They are Connie Davis, department secretary in the English Department; Jim McLaughlin, an instructional support technician in Physics; and Richard Tibbetts, an administrator in Audiovisual Services.

The outstanding staff members will be recognized during the general session of Cal Poly's Fall Conference in September. Each will receive a plaque and \$300, which comes from a private endowment fund.

Davis started working in the English Department in 1978 as a clerical assistant. She was promoted to department secretary in 1983. Department chair Brent Keetch said Davis "creates an air of total service to students and faculty."

Davis earned an associate of arts degree from Cuesta College in 1968.

McLaughlin was hired as an equipment technician in Biological Sciences in 1972 and was hired by the Physics Department in 1982 as an instructional support technician.

Chair of the Physics Department Bob Dickerson and Department Secretary Alice Gold said McLaughlin is known for his helpfulness, for working long hours to make sure the job is done right, and for taking pride in what he does.

McLaughlin earned a bachelor's degree from Cal Poly in 1969.

Tibbetts, hired by Audiovisual Services as an equipment technician in 1972, was promoted to his present position in 1991.

Cited for his concern about Cal Poly and its image, Tibbetts is known for high-quality work. According to Communications Services Director Norman Johnson, "the staff and students respect his knowledge and opinions and often come to him for advice and solutions to problems."

Tibbetts earned an associate of arts degree from El Camino College in 1963.

The outstanding staff members are nominated by faculty and staff members and reviewed by a committee of former award recipients. President Baker names the outstanding staff employees on the basis of the committee's recommendations.

### On-campus interviews set for vice president

Six finalists for the position of vice president for university advancement will be interviewed on campus in June. Interested faculty and staff members are invited to meet the candidates during scheduled receptions, all to be held from 4:30 to 5:30 pm in the Alumni House.

The candidates will give brief presentations, and an open forum will be held for questions and answers. The six finalists and their reception dates are:

**Patricia Ondrick** — June 13  
Vice President for University Advancement, New Jersey Institute of Technology

**Charles Allen** — June 14  
Executive Director of University Relations and Development at Cal Poly

**Joseph Brosnan** — June 16  
President, Belmont Abbey College

**William Slater** — June 20  
Vice President for Advancement, Western Illinois University

**William Boldt** — June 27  
Assistant Dean, College of Agriculture, Cornell University

**Jayne Irvin** — June 30  
Assistant Vice Chancellor for Development, University of Missouri

### Mexico Study Program to begin June 27

This summer 15 Cal Poly students will travel to Mexico as the first participants in the university's latest study-abroad program.

From June 27 through July 22, students in the Mexico Summer Program will study at the Cemanahuac Educational Community Center in the City of Cuernavaca, located in the central part of Mexico in the state of Morelos.

During the four-week program, students will live with local families, attend daily classes in Mexican culture and Spanish language, and participate in weekend excursions.

An "intercambio" program will be offered to give students a chance to develop conversational skills with a native speaker.

In addition, students can attend special lectures on such topics as leather working, folkloric dance, traditional medicine, and Maya glyph interpretation and reading.

Cal Poly is one of ten U.S. schools participating in the summer program at the Cemanahuac Educational Community Center.

Cal Poly's Mexico Summer Program is being offered through Extended Education. Cal Poly's participation in the program is the result of work done by six committee members: Carol Barnes, dean of Extended Education; Phil Doub, Animal Science department head; William Little, Foreign Languages and Literatures department chair; Susan Roper, director of the University Center for Teacher Education; Bernard Troy, professor in the Center for Teacher Education; and William Martinez, professor of Foreign Languages and Literatures. Martinez will serve as resident director at the Mexican institution.



### FACULTY TENURE AND PROMOTION AWARDS

President Baker has announced the promotion of 30 faculty members and the award of tenure to 20 members effective in the 1994-95 academic year. The promotions include 16 to the academic rank of professor and 14 to associate professor.

President Baker extended his congratulations and appreciation to the following faculty members receiving promotion and/or tenure (listed by college in departmental alphabetical order):

#### PROMOTION TO PROFESSOR: COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE

Robert Flores, Agricultural Education

#### COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE AND ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN

Christopher Yip, Architecture

David Dubbink, City and Regional Planning

Harold Johnston, Construction Management

#### COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

Charles Miller, Accounting

Colette Frayne, Management

J. Michael Geringer, Management

Ray Haynes, Management

#### COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Daniel Biezad, Aeronautical Engineering

Jin Tso, Aeronautical Engineering

S. Ronald Oliver, Computer Science

Carl MacCarley, Electronic/Electrical Engineering

Anny Morrobel-Sosa, Materials Engineering

James Meagher, Mechanical Engineering

#### COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

Manzar Foroohar, History

Charles Hagen, Philosophy

#### PROMOTION TO ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR:

#### COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE

M. Steven Daugherty, Animal Sciences and Industry

Brian Hampson, Food Science and Nutrition

#### COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Alypios Chatziioanou, Civil and Environmental Engineering

Sara Moazzami, Civil and Environmental Engineering

Linda Vanasupa, Materials Engineering

#### COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

John Battenburg, English

John Hampsey, English

Douglas Keesey, English

Nancy Clark, History

Carolyn Stefanco, History

Paul Miklowitz, Philosophy

Shawn Burn, Psychology and Human Development

Laura King, Psychology and Human Development

#### COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS

Richard Rossi, Statistics

#### TENURE:

#### COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE

Richard Cavaletto, Agricultural Engineering

M. Steven Daugherty, Animal Sciences and Industry

Stanley Henderson, Dairy Science

Edwin Jaster, Dairy Science

#### COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE AND ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN

David Dubbink, City and Regional Planning

Harold Johnston, Construction Management

#### COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

John Dobson, Business Administration

Colette Frayne, Management

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Nancy Clark, History

Carolyn Stefanco, History

Paul Miklowitz, Philosophy

Shawn Burn, Psychology and Human Development

### Engineering Student receives NSF scholarship

Scott Centoni, a materials engineering senior, has received a \$1,000 National Science Foundation scholarship.

Centoni was selected from more than 28 other materials engineering students to receive the Incentives for Excellence Scholarship, designed to increase opportunities for outstanding underrepresented minority students to pursue advanced studies in science, mathematics and engineering.

Selection was based on grade point average and contributions to the department.

### Send extra envelopes to campus Mail Center

Offices with extra inter-office envelopes can send them to the Mail Center for redistribution.

### CPR summer schedule

This is the last Spring Quarter issue of the *Cal Poly Report*. The *Report*, which is not published during quarter breaks, will appear every other Friday during Summer Quarter beginning June 24. Subsequent issues will be July 8 and 22, August 5 and 19, and Sept. 2.

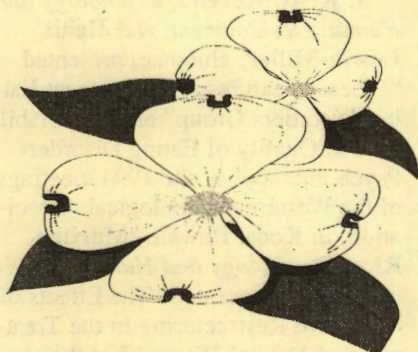
The first issue of Fall Quarter will be out Monday, Sept. 12, then weekly editions will appear beginning Friday, Sept. 16.

News items should be submitted to Jo Ann Lloyd, Communications, Heron Hall, by 1 pm the Friday before you'd like it to appear. Letters for the Campus Forum section must be received by 1 pm Monday for the same week's issue.

Please send typewritten, double-spaced paper copies if time allows. Submittals can also be faxed to ext. 6533 or sent via e-mail to DU 539.

Articles submitted will be edited for clarity, brevity and journalistic style.





## Memorial mini-park dedication held

The "Pocket of Paradise" memorial mini-park was recently dedicated in a private ceremony.

Family members, friends and students gathered to honor Robert E. Meyers Jr., a former recreation administration faculty member, who died last year.

The ceremony also marked the completion of the project, a year-long effort involving faculty members and students in Recreation Administration, Landscape Architecture, Applied Art and Design, Architecture, Construction Management, and Ornamental Horticulture.

The Pocket of Paradise, located just above the postal kiosk, was funded by family members and other donors.

## \$344,000 in donations enhance electronic lab

Cash donations totalling approximately \$105,000 and equipment donations valued at almost \$239,000 have enabled the Graphic Communication Department to upgrade its electronic laboratory with the latest equipment in desktop and prepress technology.

The Electronic Prepress Laboratory, now equipped with 16 Apple Quadra 800-series computers and high-resolution 20-inch Radius color monitors, will be used primarily to teach courses in electronic publishing systems, graphic arts photography,

color separation, and black-and-white and color-image assembly.

According to Department Head Harvey Levenson, the lab will be used by students in graphic communication and art and design "to explore the emerging design and related graphic-image development and production." Students from all areas on campus will be able to use the facility to learn desktop publishing concepts.

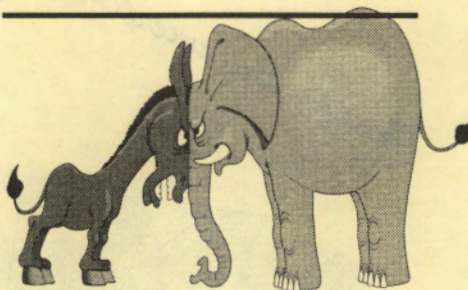
In addition, the lab will be used for projects involving University Graphic Systems, the student-run, faculty-advised production facility that supports the Graphic Communication Department's academic program through experiential education.

The laboratory upgrade was spearheaded by professors Michael Blum and Philip Ruggles, who pursued industry partnerships to help fund and equip the facility.

The lab received support from the College of Liberal Arts, Apple Computer, Radius, and a variety of other organizations.

Some of the new Apple Quadra computers have been upgraded with accelerated color and increased memory. The lab also contains SyQuest drives, a 3M Rainbow color printer, a Tektronix Phaser 300i color printer, high resolution imagesetters and scanners.

The lab will continue to evolve as new hardware and software are introduced.



## Appointment

Allen Settle, a longtime professor in Political Science, has been named department chair, effective June 20. Settle came to Cal Poly in 1970, the same year he earned a doctorate from UCSB. His appointment is for three years.

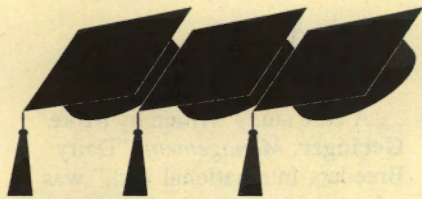
## Who, What, Where, When

A case study written by **Mike Geringer**, *Management*, "Dairy Breeders International Inc.," was selected for use in the International Case Competition held at Concordia University in Montreal, Canada. Another case study co-authored by **Geringer** and **Colette Frayne**, *Management*, "Caterpillar Inc. in Indonesia (A)," was used at the competition. At the Western Academy of Management Annual Conference in Santa Fe, N.M., **Geringer** and **Frayne** presented a paper, "Predicting Joint Venture General Manager Performance: The Role of Social Cognitive Variables." Also at the conference, **Frayne** organized and served as chair of a symposium on Organizational Learning and Control in Strategic Alliances: The Role of Human Resource Management, and **Geringer** presented "Human Resource Management and the Structure and Control of Strategic Alliances: Key Conceptual and Practical Issues." A paper co-authored by **Geringer** and **Frayne**, "Self-efficacy, Outcome Expectancy and Performance of International Joint Venture General Managers," was published last year in the *Canadian Journal of Administrative Sciences* and was voted the journal's best international paper. The article is now being considered for best overall paper.

**Gloria Velasquez**, *Foreign Languages and Literatures* and *Ethnic Studies*, was a featured poet and read selections from her new collection of poetry at the Floricanto Poetry Festival held at Casa Zapata at Stanford.

**Al Schnupp**, *Theatre and Dance*, is designing the settings for two productions to be staged June 18-July 24 at the Complex Theatre in Santa Monica. The plays are "The Savage Galatea" by Andrew Campbell and "The Beloved Disciple" by Tom Jacobson.





### Dateline

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#### SATURDAY, JUNE 11

**Commencement:** The ceremony for the colleges of Agriculture, Architecture and Environmental Design, and Liberal Arts will be at 10 am; colleges of Business, Engineering, Science and Mathematics, the Center for Teacher Education, and the statewide Nursing Program will be at 4 pm. Mustang Stadium.

### Position vacancies

Vacant staff positions at Cal Poly and the Cal Poly Foundation are announced in this column and are posted outside the respective offices. Contact those offices (State: Adm. 110, ext. 2236 or job line, ext. 1533; Foundation Administration Building, ext. 1121). Cal Poly hires only individuals lawfully authorized to work in the United States. All interested persons are encouraged to contact the respective offices to obtain an application. Official application forms must be received by 4 pm of the closing date or be postmarked by the closing date. Faxed applications and resumes will not be accepted in lieu of official application.

CLOSING DATE: June 30

**Teacher Diversity Project Coordinator (SSP I-A),** University Center for Teacher Education. \$2200-\$2397/month; 9/1/94-8/31/95 reappointment contingent on budget.

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Candidates for positions on the faculty are presently being sought, according to Michael Suess, director of faculty affairs. Those interested are invited to contact the appropriate dean or department

head/chair. Ranks and salaries for faculty positions are commensurate with qualifications and experience (and time base where applicable), unless otherwise stated.

**CLOSING DATE: July 8 or until filled**

**Head Baseball Coach (Head Coach Classification),** full-time, 12-month appointment, Intercollegiate Athletics Department. Directing all aspects of a Division I program. Undergraduate degree required. Master's degree preferred. Commitment to academics and knowledge of NCAA rules necessary; coaching experience at the college level required, head coaching experience preferred.

**CLOSING DATE: July 5**

**Lecturers (part-time),** Graphic Communication, possible positions during the 1994-95 academic year in various teaching specialties. Master's degree required; Ph.D. preferred. Submit curriculum vitae, three letters of reference and official university transcripts by closing date to Dr. Harvey R. Levenson, department head, GrC.

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**J. Kelly Moreno,** *Psychology and Human Development*, and **Heidi Lewin-Miller**, alumnae, presented "Process Features of the Nascent Eating Disorders Group" and "Availability and Quality of Eating Disorders Psychotherapy" at the 1994 meetings of the Western Psychological Association, in Kona, Hawaii. **Marilyn Rice,** *Psychology and Human Development*, co-presented "The Effects of Cognitive Restructuring in the Treatment of Marital Discord," at the same conference.

**Walter Rice,** *Economics and College of Business*, conducted a two-day symposium in Oakland on Forecasting Methodology with particular reference to problems of the Bay Area Transportation system.

**Starr Jenkins,** *English* emeritus, gave a talk, "The Rugged Return of Lewis and Clark," to the San Luis County Historical Society.

**Kenneth Hoffman,** *Physics*, gave a talk, "On the Possible Influence of the Mantle on the Paleomagnetic Field and its Reversals," at the 75th anniversary meeting of the American Geophysical Union, in Baltimore, Md.

*Happy Summertime!*

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